

REMARKS

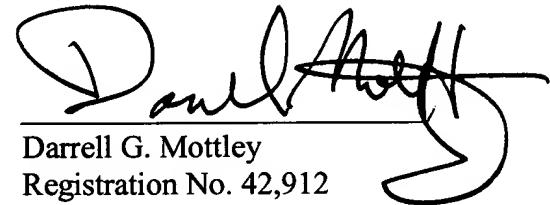
These remarks are responsive to the Non-final Office Action of June 1, 2005. Claim 1 has been amended. Claims 2 and 3 have been canceled. Claims 1, 4-15 and 20-29 are pending. No new matter has been added.

The Office Action has indicated that claims 3, 6-14 and 20-29 are allowable. Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate claims 2 and 3. Claims 4-15 now depend from allowable claim 1, as amended. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that claims 1, 4-15 and 20-29 are allowable.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. If any fees are required or if an overpayment has been made the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,



Darrell G. Mottley
Registration No. 42,912

Dated: December 1, 2005

By:

BANNER & WITCOFF, LTD.
1001 G Street, N.W., 11th Floor
Washington, D.C. 20001-4597
202-824-3000